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CORRECTION

Subject: CACFP 226.20-12/NSLP 210.10-26/SFSP 225.16-16: Revised List of Iron-fortified Infant Formulas Which Do Not Require A Medical Statement in the Child Nutrition Programs

To: All State Directors:
Child Nutrition Program (CNP)
Child and Adult Care Food Program (CACFP)
National School Lunch Program (NSLP)
Summer Food Service Program (SFSP)
Southeast Region

[Please replace the previous version of this memorandum issued on February 8, 2000 with this corrected memorandum. This correction is being issued in order to simplify our system of disseminating information on updated listings of Iron-fortified Infant Formulas Which Do Not Require A Medical Statement in the Child Nutrition Programs. Henceforth, all updated listings of iron-fortified formula will be issued as a revision to policy memo number: CACFP 226.20-12/NSLP 210.10-26/SFSP 225.16-16. The policy questions listed in the previous version of this memorandum, will now be provided via a separate policy memorandum, CACFP 226.20-26 /NSLP 210.10-32/SFSP 225.16-15: Clarification of Information on Iron-fortified Infant Formulas Which Do Not Require A Medical Statement in the Child Nutrition Programs.]

This memorandum transmits an updated list of iron-fortified infant formulas that do not require medical statements in the National School Lunch Program, School Breakfast Program, Summer Food Service Program, or the Child and Adult Care Food Program. We will continue to periodically update this infant formula listing, to ensure consistency within Child Nutrition Programs.

If you have any questions concerning this memo, please contact our office.

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Attachment

**Iron-fortified Infant Formulas
That Do Not Require Medical Statements
In the Child Nutrition Programs**
(as of 06/12/02)

We recommend that the school, center, or day care home offer the type of formula that the infant's health care provider has suggested to the infant's parent or guardian. If the school or child care facility offers a different type of formula, the infant's parent may choose to decline the offered formula, and supply another type. Meals containing only infant formula supplied by a parent, and no other component, are not reimbursable.

Milk-based Infant Formulas:

- Carnation Food Start
- Enfamil With Iron
- Enfamil AR
- Lactofree
- Similac With Iron
- Similac Lactose Free with Iron
- Similac Advance
- Enfamil Lipil
- Gentle Moments Infant Formula (sold through Wal-Mart)
- Kirkland Signature Infant Formula with Iron (sold through Costco)
- Wyeth-produced Private Label Store Brand Milk-based Infant Formulas:
 - Albertson's Baby Basics Infant Formula (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Aldi Nanny's Infant Formula Powder
 - Amway Kozy Kids Infant Formula Powder
 - Babymil Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
 - CVS Infant Formula Powder
 - Eckerd Infant Formula Powder
 - Hill Country Fare Infant Formula (sold through H.E. Butt or H-E-B)
 - K-Mart Little Ones Infant Formula Powder
 - Kroger Infant Formula
 - Meijer Infant Formula Powder
 - Parent's Choice Infant Formula (sold through Wal-Mart in powder, concentrated liquid, and 8 ounce Ready-To-Feed can forms)
 - Perfect Choice Infant Formula (sold through Ralph's and Fred Meyer)

- Safeway Select Infant Formula (sold through a variety of stores)
- Shop Rite Infant Formula Powder
- Target Healthy Infant Formula (sold through a variety of stores)
- Topco Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
- Walgreen's Infant Formula Powder
- Wegman's Infant Formula

Soy-based Infant Formulas:

- Carnation Alsoy
- Isomil
- ProSobee
- Gentle Moments Soy Infant Formula (sold through Wal-Mart)
- Wyeth-produced Private Label Store Brand Soy-based Infant Formulas:
 - Albertson's Baby Basics Soy Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Babysoy Soy Protein Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
 - CVS Soy Infant Formula Powder
 - Good Sense Infant Soy Formula Powder
 - Hill Country Fare Soy Infant Formula (sold through H.E. Butt or H-E-B)
 - K-Mart Little Ones soy Infant Formula Powder
 - Kroger Comforts Soy Infant Formula
 - Meijer Soy Protein Infant Formula Powder
 - Parent's Choice Soy Infant Formula (sold through Wal-Mart in powder, concentrated liquid, and 8 ounce Ready-to-Feed can forms)
 - Perfect Choice Soy Protein Infant Formula (sold through Ralph's and Fred Meyers)
 - Safeway Select Soy Infant Formula (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Shop Rite Soy Infant Formula Powder
 - Target Soy Infant Formula Powder
 - Topco Soy Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Walgreens's Soy Infant Formula Powder
 - Wegman's Soy Infant Formula

Follow-up Iron-fortified Infant Formulas that Do Not Require a Medical Statement When They are Served to Infants at the Ages Indicated:

When served to infants 4 months and older:

These types of formulas do not require medical statements when they are served to infants 4 months of age or older. (A medical statement is required if any of them is served to infants less than 4 months of age):

- Carnation Follow-up Formula (milk-based)-This formula is specifically designed for infants 4 to 12 months of age and older who are eating cereal and other baby foods.
- Carnation Follow-up Soy Formula (soy-based)-this formula is specifically designed for infants 4 to 12 months of age and older who are eating cereal and other baby foods.
- Gentle Moments 2 Infant Formula with Iron (milk-based, sold through Wal-Mart) – This formula is designed for infants 4 months and older as the infant grows and adjusts to solid foods.
- Wyeth-produced Private Label Store Brands “Follow-on” Infant Formulas – These types of formulas are designed for infants 4 months and older and are intended to replace traditional starter formula when an infant is eating cereal and other baby foods. They are not intended to replace breastmilk. These formulas have been specially formulated for use as a supplement to the solid food portion of the older infant’s diet:
 - Albertson’s Baby Basics 2 Follow-on Infant Formula Powder (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Hill Country Fare 2 Follow-on Infant Formula (sold through H.E. Butt or H-E-B)
 - Kroger Comforts 2 Follow-on Infant Formula Powder
 - Parent’s Choice 2 Follow-on Infant Formula (sold through Wal-Mart)
 - Safeway Select 2 Follow-on Infant Formula (sold through a variety of stores)
 - Target Healthy Baby Formula for Older Infants
 - Wegman’s 2 Follow-on Infant Formula

When served to infants 6 months of age or older:

These types of formulas do not require a medical statement when they are served to infants 6 months of age or older. (A medical statement is required if any of them is served to infants less than 6 months of age):

- Enfamil Next Step Toddler Formula (milk-based)-This formula is designed as an alternative to cow’s milk for the older infant (6 months of age or older, per the manufacturer) or toddler. It is not being marketed as an alternative to “Enfamil With Iron” or other iron-fortified infant formulas which are designed for infants from birth to 12 months of age.
- Enfamil Next Step Soy Toddler Formula (soy-based)-this formula is designed as an alternative to cow’s milk for the toddler with milk sensitivities.
- Ross Similac 2 Toddler Formula (milk-based) – This formula is designed as an alternative to cow’s milk for the older infant (6 months of age or older, according to the manufacturer) or toddler. It is not marketed as an alternative to “Similac with Iron” or any other iron-fortified infant formulas that are designed for infants birth to 12 months of age.

- Ross Isomil 2 Soy Toddler Formula (soy-based) – This formula is designed as an alternative to cow's milk for the toddler with mild sensitivities.